

G.—NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS FOR THE DIFFERENT CLASSES OF INVENTIONS IN EACH OF THE YEARS 1935 AND 1936, TOGETHER WITH THE AVERAGE FOR THE YEARS 1930-34 (INCLUSIVE).

Class.	1930-34	1935.	1936.	Class.	1930-34	1935.	1936.
Advertising and displaying signs, &c.	25.4	18	16	Illuminating (except gas-manufacture)	56.4	72	73
Aeronautics	13.6	15	13	Indicating, calculating, and measuring (including moisture-testers)	55.8	48	54
Amusements, music, exercisers, games, &c.	60.0	50	36	Kitchen utensils and cooking appliances (including ovens)	52.4	53	45
Attaching and securing (including bolts, ties, &c.)	23.0	16	19	Lifting, hauling, and loading ..	54.0	22	19
Boilers (steam)	6.2	2	3	Locks, latches, and hinges ..	23.8	18	19
Boots and shoes	24.8	17	19	Marine and submarine (including lake and river engineering)	19.8	12	13
Bottles, bottling, and glass-working	31.0	33	42	Marking (tickets, labels, &c.) ..	11.4	8	5
Boxes, cans, and casks	87.4	62	47	Medicines and surgical appliances (including ear-instruments, dental work, &c.)	35.2	21	28
Brewing, distilling, &c.	13.8	11	12	Metal-working (including welding, stamping, and plating)	19.2	29	22
Brooms and brushes (including mops)	16.8	16	7	Milking-machines*	44.0	27	39
Building-construction	36.6	21	40	Minerals (including filtration, lixiviation, screens, &c.)	18.6	19	18
Building - construction (brick and cement compositions and moulding)	26.6	17	26	Minerals (magnetic separators) ..	0.4	1	..
Building-construction (windows and doors)	26.2	14	17	Minerals (stampers and pulverizers)	3.4	4	1
Chemicals	12.2	12	22	Oils and lubricators	18.2	14	23
Cleaning, polishing, &c.	19.6	14	21	Paints and painting (including kauri-gum)	12.0	3	8
Closets and urinals	22.4	22	18	Pipes, tubes, and hose	21.8	14	14
Coin-freed mechanism	12.0	15	6	Preserving	15.4	16	10
Cooling and freezing	27.4	22	20	Presses	8.4	4	4
Cultivation and tilling	46.4	40	28	Printing and photography	28.2	17	15
Cutting and sawing, and tools ..	56.0	50	37	Pumps and sprayers (except rotary pumps)	24.8	25	18
Dairying*	51.2	50	30	Railways and tramways	19.8	9	17
Drains and sewers	3.2	2	1	Roads and ways (including road watering)	14.2	15	16
Dredging and excavating (including rock drills)	7.0	7	7	Seed-dressing, chaff-cutting, and threshing	6.4	6	6
Drying	16.2	20	9	Seed-sowers	15.8	12	21
Electricity and magnetism	90.4	76	85	Sewing and knitting	21.6	17	21
Engines (air, gas, and oil)	56.6	46	37	Sheep and cattle (including veterinary appliances)	30.8	28	25
Engines (steam), including rotary pumps	15.0	13	10	Sheep shearing and clipping	2.8	3	2
Engines (miscellaneous and engine accessories), including current motors, solar motors, tide motors, wave motors, windmills, miscellaneous motors	36.8	26	21	Shop and hotel fittings	27.4	25	16
Explosives, firearms, and targets ..	4.4	8	9	Stationery and paper	39.6	35	29
Exterminating (including trapping animals)	18.8	33	21	Telephony and telegraphy (including phonographs, &c.)	248.4	319	488
Fencing	14.6	12	13	Tobacco	19.4	7	9
Fencing (strainers)	2.8	1	3	Valves and cocks	16.0	18	20
Fibre - dressing (including rope-making)	18.6	26	22	Vehicles	76.2	61	53
Filters	6.2	2	3	Vehicles (velocipedes)	21.4	17	14
Fire alarms, escapes, ladders, and extinguishers	13.2	9	11	Ventilating	6.6	12	9
Food	19.4	18	21	Washing and cleansing	33.8	27	25
Furnaces and kilns (including smoke-consumers)	15.6	18	16	Water-supplying	8.0	9	5
Furniture and upholstery, desks, blinds, curtains, &c.	44.6	38	38	Wearing-apparel	49.8	56	57
Gas-manufacture for lighting, heating, or power purposes	6.6	5	12	Wools and hides	14.2	10	12
Harness (including horse, &c., covers)	3.8	8	5	Miscellaneous inventions not in other classes, as indiarubber-manufacture, fishing - appliances, &c.	19.2	12	23
Harvesting and grading	33.0	22	15				
Heating, and fuel-manufacture	46.0	49	53				

* Prior to 1911 milking-machines were included in class "Dairying," but are now a separate class.

NOTE.—Owing to some inventions being classified under more than one heading, the figures will total more than the actual number of applications received.

H.—TOTAL NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS, LETTERS PATENT SEALED, AND LETTERS PATENT IN FORCE FOR FULL TERM UNDER THE DIFFERENT PATENT ACTS, UP TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1936 (INCLUSIVE).

		Total Number of Applications.	Number on which Letters Patent have been sealed.	Number of Patents on which Final Fee paid.
Act of 1860	1861 to 1870	109	109	109
„ 1870	1871 to 1883	881	687	465
„ 1883	1884 to 1889	3,170	1,757	368
Acts of 1889 and 1908	1890 to 30th June, 1912	27,419	12,711	2,591
Act of 1911	1st July, 1912, to 30th June, 1922	16,750	7,773	1,660
„ 1921-22	1st July, 1922, to 31st Dec., 1936	28,909	15,486	3,187
Grand totals		77,238	38,523	8,380